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Local Jottings

Mrs King and Miss Ida Lilly were weekend visitors to Strathmore.

W. G. Way was in Calgary visitor last week.

Private Albert Sykes who has returned wounded from Overseas, arrived in Strathmore last week.

There is a treat in store for you at the M.M.S. on April 15th. Be sure and hear the silver-throated tenor of his preference for the Sunny South: "I've read a lot about Heaven But give me Dixie all the time."

Mrs. Hinchliff, just returned to Strathmore last week.

Principal Clark, Miss Boland and Miss Bell attended the Teachers' Convention at Edmonton this week.

Come and hear the "Coo Mah" sing. "I'm such a bit with the girls" at the Minstral Show on April 15th.

March departed from its usual mode of "going out like a lamb," this year and the weather over the Easter Vacation reminded us all of King Winter.

I Want dem Presents Back
Your sympathy will be enlisted for the jilted coon who intends taking steps to recover his gifts from his erstwhile Lindy Love. — M.M.S., April 15th.

A lecture on the work of the Salvation Army at the Front, was given in the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening.

Service will be held in the Roman Catholic Church on Sunday.

A dance was held on Monday in aid of the Belgian Relief Fund, but owing to the inclemency of the weather was not very largely attended.

The Strathmore Auto Club will hold a social on Friday evening, April 12th. All auto owners and their ladies are requested to attend. Important matters in which we are all interested will be discussed. Make it your business to be there and don't be afraid to express your opinions. A good time is promised music, songs, dance and refreshments.

G. F. BUTLER,
Secretary.

"D'you know Rustus, I had an awful bad dream las' night. I dreamt it was Monday, de 15th of April and I went to de Opera House to see dat Monster Minstrel Show—and jes cause I was a little late, I couldn't get a seat. De house was picked, jam full. Dat was a powerful bad dream, 'cause I wanted to see dose new dances, De Chicken Scratch and De Jazzy Wazzy and I wanted to see dose talented colored gentlemen perform de High Class Drama dey is puttin' on."

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Mr and Mrs Charles Lindell and family, Master Frank and Miss Louise, left on Wednesday for Butte, Montana, after visiting friends for a month. They expect to make a trip through Iowa and Missouri where they have other relatives. Mr Lindell and family will be greatly missed as they were among our worthy citizens. Here is wishing them a pleasant trip and we sincerely hope Mr Lindell's health will be greatly benefited.

Red Cross Notes

Red Cross workers are reminded that the supplies most needed are the following:—Operating gowns, dressing gowns, many-sized and T bandages, aprons, surgeons coats, McNaughton bandages, stretchers, caps, slings, private property bags and white handkerchiefs. Will every lady in and around Strathmore make a special effort to make at least two dozen private property bags. When you are

doing your spring sewing there will be some ends of material suitable for these bags.

In view of the great demand for Red Cross supplies and the probability of the needs of the Society growing even greater in the near future. All workers are urgently requested not to fall off any in their work, but rather to increase their efforts. The local organization

ought to ship at least 2,000 pieces monthly. For the ladies who can run a sewing machine, the operating gown, apron and stretcher cap make nice easy sewing. For hand work, bandages and handkerchiefs are always convenient to pick up. The treasurer acknowledges with thanks the sum of \$19.45 from the U.F.A. entertainment held recently

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Military Service Act

Important Announcement to All

EXEMPTED MEN

and to the Public Generally

IN dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded. With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so.

Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted, and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the duty of all loyal citizens, not only the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing misinformants on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOUGHERTY,
Minister of Justice.

Correspondence should be directed to J. M. Carron, Esq., Registrar under the Military Service Act, Calgary, Alta.

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